

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO  
EASTERN DIVISION**

**SPEED WAY TRANSPORTATION, LLC, et al.,**

**Plaintiffs,**

**v.**

**Civil Action 2:20-cv-5047  
Judge Sarah D. Morrison  
Magistrate Judge Jolson**

**CITY OF GAHANNA, et al.,**

**Defendants.**

**ORDER**

On March 27, 2023, Frank J. Reed, Jr. filed a purported Notice of Substitution of Counsel for Defendants. (Doc. 26). The Local Rules require that counsel obtain leave of Court to make such a substitution—unless both the withdrawing and substituting attorney are from the same firm or governmental agency. S.D. Civ. R. 83.4(b). Here, they are not. Accordingly, the Court **CONSTRUES** the notice as a motion, and said motion is **GRANTED**. The Clerk is **DIRECTED** to designate Frank J. Reed, Jr. as lead counsel and Jesse J. Shamp as co-counsel for Defendants. The Clerk is further **DIRECTED** to terminate Jeremy M. Grayem as counsel for Defendants.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

Date: March 28, 2023

/s/Kimberly A. Jolson  
KIMBERLY A. JOLSON  
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE